## House Resolution No. 4022

Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives honor treasured residents of the Show-Me State who have experienced the joys and blessings of a prosperous marriage; and

Whereas, sixty years ago on August 28, 1948, Leonard Kieser took the hand of his beautiful bride, Helen Moore, as they began their commitment to a lifetime of shared love and devotion by exchanging wedding vows during a solemn ceremony at Ebenezer Methodist Church; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Leonard and Helen Kieser have had the pleasure of watching their family grow to include their children and their spouses, Jean and David Jaster, June and Jon Powell, J.W. and Doris Kieser, John Kieser, and Joe and Julie Kieser; nine grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren; and

Whereas, Leonard Kieser is known as a dedicated family man who generously provided his loved ones with a comfortable home and secure future through his successful endeavors as a farmer; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and outstanding homemaker, Helen Kieser further distinguished herself by serving forty years as a nurse and by working on the farm; and

Whereas, Leonard and Helen Kieser have found the road to happiness by putting all of their energy, love, and ambition into their marriage and by knowing that a successful union is built upon such strong qualities as sacrifice, dedication, and honesty; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Kieser, residents of Easton, commemorated the glorious occasion of their Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration on August 28, 2008, at the very church in which they became husband and wife:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Leonard and Helen Kieser for their tremendous success in achieving sixty years of wedded bliss and in wishing them only the best as they continue their journey walking hand-in-hand along life's path; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kieser, as a measure of our esteem for them.

Offered by

Representative Rob Schaaf District No. 28

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4022, adopted September 4, 2008.